



Case Docket No. 47092.00064

Date: September 29, 2004

In re the application of:

Esa MALKAMÄKI et al.

Serial No.: 10/732,745

Group Art Unit: 2631

Filed: December 11, 2003

Examiner: unassigned

For: REDUNDANCY STRATEGY SELECTION SCHEME

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a statement previously submitted.

☒ Applicant qualifies for small entity status.

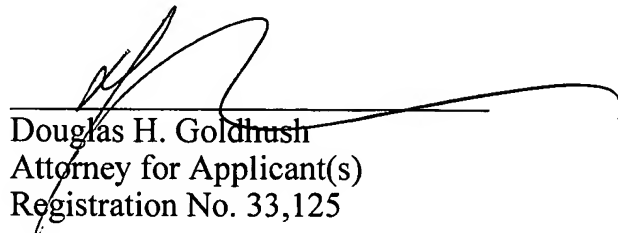
☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
(Col. 1)	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(Col. 2)	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(Col. 3)	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	36	MINUS	30	6	x9=		or	x18= 108
INDEP.	6	MINUS	6	0	x43=		or	x86=
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+145=		or	+290=
					TOTAL		or	108

- ☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of one hundred eight dollars (\$108.00).
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Counsel's Deposit Account No. 50-2222. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- ☒ Any filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.

Respectfully submitted,



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**PATENT APPLICATION**

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior initial examination of the application, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the claims are submitted on page 2.**

**Remarks are submitted on page 8.**